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In response to the Office Action of March 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity) Docket No. Applicant(s): Jean-Marc Follini et al. 68.0211 (SHL.0190US) Examiner Group Art Unit Filing Date Serial No. 3672 January 22, 2002 Hoang C. Dang 10/054,555 TING TOOL AND METHOD Invention: RECEIVED **GROUP 3600** TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** HIGHEST # NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL CLAIMS REMAINING** RATE PREV. PAID FOR **CLAIMS PRESENT** FEE AFTER AMENDMENT \$18.00 \$0.00 0|x**TOTAL CLAIMS** 38 41 \$258.00 3 x \$86.00 INDEP. CLAIMS 9 = 12 \$0.00 Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) \$258.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT □ No additional fee is required for amendment. in the amount of ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. to cover the filing fee is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$258.00 The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1504(shl0190 Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. Dated: April 30, 2004 Dan C. Hu Reg. No. 40,025 TROP, PRUNER & HU, P.C. I certify that this document and fee is being deposited 8554 Katy Freeway on 04/30/2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as Suite 100 first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA Houston, Texas 77024 22313-1450

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